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2. (Unclassified - GLC) I called Herb Hoffman, House Judiciary Committee staff, and mentioned that Frank Slatinshek had called our attention to the procedure instituted by Representative H. Allen Smith on the Military Procurement Authorization bill last year and I told Hoffman I would have drop by his office today and leave him a copy of last year's floor discussion. Hoffman said he would be interested in looking at it.

Hoffman said the House/Senate conferees had met today but reached no agreement. They are scheduled to meet again next Monday. Hoffman is quite certain that both Senator Ervin and Representative Celler will remain adamant in their respective positions on the legislation and that ultimately Celler will report the bill to the House noting technical disagreement on the Ervin bill portion of the legislation. He said at this point Celler could make a motion that the House recede and accept the Senate version of the bill with an amendment providing specific exemptions for CIA and NSA.

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